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ASSIZE of BREAD, published Nov. 8th, 1773.

Flour at 2 1/2 per Cent.
A WHITE Loaf of finest Flour to weigh
1 lb. 7 1/2 oz. for 4 Coppers.

PRICE CURRENT, in NEW-YORK.

Wheat per Bushel	5/6	Beef per Barrel	50/	ad
Flour	19	6	Pork	75
Brown Bread	16	6	Salt	2 1/3 to 2 1/2
West-India Rum	3	8	Bohea Tea	4 1/2
New-England do.	3	6	Chocol. per Dos.	21 0
Muscovado Sugar	62	0	Bees Wax	3 1/2
Single ref'd ditto	1	1	Indian Corn per Bush.	3 0
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High-Water at New-York, and Sun's Rising and Setting, till Thursday next.

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Thursday	12	7	after 5 1/2 before 7
Friday	13	8	5 53 7
Saturday	14	9	5 58 7
Sunday	15	10	5 50 7
Monday	16	11	5 49 7
Tuesday	17	12	5 48 7
Wednesday	18	1	5 47 7

Divs 12 Hours 12 minutes the 24th.

New-York, March 23, 1774.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the SONS OF LIBERTY will meet on THURSDAY Night, at 7 o'Clock, in every Week, at the House of Mr. JASPER DRAKE, till the Arrival and Departure of the TEA SHIP.

The Sixth Year of this Advertisement in this Country.

As those Gentlemen, &c. who have employed the Advertiser to Repair their

WATCHES,

ARE now at no Expence for cleaning them, he humbly requests they will not neglect to apply at least once a Year, as it neither tends to the Repair of a Watch, nor the Benefit of those who use them; but to promote mending Work; it will be his endeavour to prove, Watches which are tolerably good, will perform 10 Years without Expence. The best Sort of Watch Springs, enamell'd Dial Plates, to be had either of him, or any of the Merchant's who import them, at 3s. 6d. each.

Watches, new and second Hand, for Sale.
JOHN SIMNET, at the Dial on Murray's Wharf, New-York.

TO BE SOLD,

TWO Lots of LAND adjoining each other, situate at Statburgh, in the County of Dutchess, now, or late possessed by Timothy Clawson, containing together, about 40 Acres; one of said Lots bounds on Hudson's River, the Post Road that leads to Albany runs through the same; There is now cut from it yearly, upwards of Fifty Loads of English Hay, and at least thirty Acres of Meadow Ground, more may be made at a small Expence; it is well timbered, and the Upland remarkably good, both for Winter and Summer Grain. Whoever inclines to purchase the same, may apply to JOHN V. CORTLANDT, in the City of New-York, or BARTHOLOMEW CRANNELL, Esq. living in Poughkeepsie. A good Title will be given for the same.

TO BE LET,

And entered upon immediately,

THE FERRY-HOUSE and

FERRY over Rye Neck River, near Second River, New-Jersey, the House is a good Stone Building, has four Fire Places in it with a large Cellar Kitchen and Cellar under it; it is pleasantly situated upon Rye Neck River, (where in Phoebe (of Fish) directly opposite to Mr. Aaron Schuyler's), and about nine Miles from New-York, by Land. It would suit either a Store-keeper, or Public House; the House will be let separately, if required; a good Cooper is much wanted at it; it is adjoining Mr. Stephen V. Cortlandt's Mills, who will engage to take at least One Hundred Tons of Coal per Annum. For further Particulars, Enquire of SAMUEL VAN CORTLANDT, at or near the Premises, or of JOHN VAN CORTLANDT, in New-York.

AN ADVANTAGEOUS BARGAIN.

To be SOLD, only at private SALE.

And entered upon, either immediately, or at any future Time, to suit the Purchaser.

LARGE, convenient Rum DISTILLERY, with a Dwelling House and

ligns, in a healthy pleasant Situation.

The said DISTILLERY and Buildings are attended with the Advantages of good and safe Custom. For further Particulars, apply at the Premises, to

S. SP. SKINNER, near KINGS' COLLEGE, in New-York, who makes the best of RUM:—He makes it of a wholesome, clean Flavour, quite free from

DEADLY SICKING HOOD, and of substantial natural Proof, and sells either for Cash or the usual Credit, or for Malasses.

N. B. A. Mr. SKINNER intends to retire from Business, the Purchaser will be presented with ample Directions.

On Thursday the 12th of April next,

Will be sold at public Auction, at the COFFEE HOUSE, at 12 o'Clock,

THE HOUSE and LOT of

GROUND belonging to the Estate of Walter Heyer, deceased, situate in Great George-Street, commonly called the Broad-Way, opposite the King's Statue, adjoining Mr. Cortlandt's Office, being in front and rear 18 Feet, and running back to Hudson's River, with a Corporation Grant of 200 Feet Water Lot, a most pleasant Situation, in a respectable Neighbourhood.

N. B. As the adjoining Lot is to be sold at the same Time, the two will make an extraordinary Stand for a Gentleman.

To be SOLD, or LET,

And entered upon the first Day of May next,

THE SNUFF-MILLS, together

with the Drying House, Stables, &c. now in possession of Mr. George Traile, situate near the Bull's-Head Tavern, in the Out-Ward of this City; also eight Lots of Ground near the same; also Five Thousand Acres of Land, near Consoharie, in the County of Tryon, being Part of the Patent, called Schuyler's patent; it is esteemed one of the best Tracts of Land in that County. A good Title will be given for the same, by JOHN V. CORTLANDT, in New-York.

THE Subscriber having for

many Years made the Study and Practice of MIDWIFERY her peculiar Business, takes this Liberty of offering her services in that Capacity, to those in this City, who may please to call for her Assistance.—As a Proof of Skill and Ability in her Profession, she begs Leave to observe, that she has now in her Custody, a Diploma in her Favour, from Doctor Young, Professor of Midwifery in the College of Physicians at Edinburgh, under whom she has studied;—A Certificate under the Hands of several of the most eminent Physicians practicing in the City of New-York, setting forth, that she has produced to them very creditable Testimonials of her Education, and that they think she will make a safe and useful Practitioner; and a Declaration subscribed by William Hunter, Esq. a Member of this City, certifying that she has been the Giver of a Midwife, and is lawfully qualified to practice as such in the City of New-York. All which original Certificates and Testimonials, she is ready to produce to any Person who may apply to her for their further Satisfaction.—Those Persons who may be inclined to favour her with their Assistance shall experience the utmost Punctuality, Faithfulness and Humanity in the Execution of the Duties of her Office.

N. B. She may be found at a House of Mr. John Franklin, in Elbow-Street, on Golden-Hill.

WILLIAM NELSON,

HATH FOR SALE,

Hibernia and Mount Hope

PIG-IRON,

REFINED Bar Iron well assorted and warranted good; a few casks of the best Carolina Tobacco, Rye Butter in whole and half Arkins; Refined Butter in Jercies, blue and white, China Cups and Saucers in small boxes; an assortment of Irish Linens, just come to hand, from 18d. to 9s. per yard; Raisins and Figs in kegs.

To be sold, at private Sale,

A Water-Lot in Montgomery-Ward, fronted on the east river by Water Street, southerly by the east river; easterly by Thomas Henderson, westerly by Isaac Hersher; in breadth on Water Street, 22 feet 5 inches, rear on the east river, 22 feet 4 inches; being part of lot NO. 12, length on both sides 200 feet. Whoever has a mind to purchase said lot, for further particulars may inquire of John Latham, or Lancaster Berling, by whom an indubitable title will be given.

TO BE SOLD,

On reasonable Terms,

THREE Years as soon from the

24th of September next, of a

Lot of the Parish of St. Peter's, in the City of New-York, containing

with Four Thousand Acres of Land,

and good Dwelling House, Kitchen and

Cellar, Store, Stable and Carpenter's

Shop, and many other Buildings, and

many Houses for Workmen, where is Wind-mill

within two Miles, and the Lease, the Oven, or Iron

Mill on the Spot, and good Corn, and said lot is

situated in the Parish of St. Peter's, in the City of New-York, and is

very convenient for Navigation, five

Miles; Water is good, and the Soil is very

rich, and the Climate is very pleasant, and the

lot is very convenient for a Gentleman's

Residence, and for a Farm, and for a

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FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

LAST Night the Dwelling-House of the Subscriber was broke open, and from thence were taken the following Articles of Plate, viz. One pair of silver chafing-dishes, one pair of silver butter-cups, one silver can, two large soup spoons, one pepper box, six large table spoons, six tea spoons, and a strainer marked E. D., maker's name D. Henchman, all except the spoons which have a hand for the crest. A silver tea pot, one silver sugar dish, a host for the spoons, one pair tea tongs, five tea spoon, and a cream cup, two porringers and two salt cellars, all marked E. S.; one

silver tankard without a lid, marked I. S.

one silver can marked I. E.—an old fashion-

ed pepper box marked A. E.—six large table

spoons marked E. S.—one silver salver,

no mark upon it, the foot resembling the

mouth of a funnel. A silver tankard marked

A. B.—one silver porringer without any

mark—three table spoons marked A. B.—

one old spoon marked I. S.—four tea spoons

no mark—one pair of tea tongs, maker's

name of those not made by Henchman, I.

Hurd, some of them, and some B. W. with

several other small articles. Whoever will

take up the thief, or thieves, so as they, or

he may be brought to justice, and the plate

recovered, shall be paid the above reward;

and a reasonable reward for any part of the

plate, in proportion to its value, per me

THADDEUS BURR.

Fairfield, March 15, 1774.

STOLEN out of the Subscriber's Stable

an Arabian, in Colour chestnut, on Sun-

day Night, the 13th Instant, a dark bay

MARE, with a Star in her Forehead,

about 14 Hands high, trots altogether,

is used to a Carriage, her Sides somewhat

galled with the Traces, and shod all round.

She was bred by Mr. Gilbert Lyon, of

Rye, and will be known in that Part of the

Country. Whoever takes up, and secures

said Mare, and the Thief, shall receive Ten

Dollars Reward, or for the Mare only,

Five Dollars and all reasonable Charges,

paid by WILLIAM S. JOHNSON.

N. B. The same Night a Hunting Saddle

with a Dog-Skin Seat, a little soiled,

was stolen from Capt. Philip Nicholls of

said Stratford, probably by the same Thief.

It has a brown Cloth Housing, the Maker's

Name on the Saddle Tree.

Stratford, March 14, 1774.

The following Speech of the Lord Mayor of

London, before the House of Commons, on

Monday the 13th Instant, in offering himself

a Candidate for the City of London, to return

as a Member of Parliament, in the

Parliament to be summoned by the

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oath, that he has not used bribery, or any other illegal means of compassing his election, the restoration of the American liberties to our meritorious brethren in the new world, and relief to the oppressed condition of our fellow subjects in Ireland, are points of extreme importance, which every member ought to endeavour to accomplish. I will exert my poor abilities in this noble cause, in conjunction with all those of every party, who pursue the public welfare with integrity, honesty and ardour. I solemnly engage myself to you, my constituents, that I will promote, to the utmost of my power, the several acts of parliament necessary for the above great national purposes. As to myself, I shall always act from the conviction of a good conscience, in the most pure and disinterested manner, for I will never accept from the crown, or any minister, place, pension, contract, title, gratuity, or emolument of any kind.

Give me leave, gentlemen, to assure you, that if I am elected to the most important trust, it shall be my constant aim to protect the rights and privileges of my constituents, to promote the manufactures, the trade, the commerce of this kingdom, and to support our civil and religious liberties. In my present very honourable station, I own, Gentlemen of the Livery, it would be an additional happiness to me, that the ties between the head and the Members of this great corporate body, were still more cemented by your making choice of me as one of your representatives in parliament. If my wishes are gratified in this respect, it will become the primary object of my ambition, being closely connected with you for life as one of your magistrates, to act in such a manner, that so desirable an union with you may, till the same period, be indissoluble. I am, &c.

FREDERICK BULL.

His MAJESTY's most gracious SPEECH to both Houses of Parliament, on Thursday, January 13, 1774.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

THE unusual length of the last session of Parliament made me desirous of giving you as long a recess as the public service would admit. I have, therefore, been glad to find myself under no necessity of calling you from your respective counties at an earlier season; and I doubt not but you are now met together, in the best disposition, for applying yourselves to the dispatch of the public business.

You, will, I am persuaded, agree with me in regretting that the peace, so long expected and so very desirable, is not yet effected between Russia and the Porte; but it is with real satisfaction I can repeat, that other foreign powers continue still to have the same pacific dispositions with myself. I can have no other wish than to see the general tranquillity restored; for the establishment, and subsequent preservation of which no endeavours of mine, consistent with the honour of my crown and the interests of my people, shall ever be wanting.

In the state of foreign affairs, you will have full leisure to attend to the improvement of our internal and domestic situation; and to the prosecution of measures more immediately respecting the preservation and advancement of the revenue and commerce of the kingdom. Among the objects which, in this view, will come under your consideration, none can better deserve your attention than the state of the gold coin, which I must recommend to you in a more particular manner, as well on account of its very high importance, as of the peculiar advantages which the present time affords, for executing with success such measures as you may find it expedient to adopt with respect to this great national concern.

The degree of dissimulation which that coin has actually suffered, and the very rapid progress which the mischief was daily making, were truly alarming. It is with much satisfaction that you have seen the evil, and that you have been enabled to regulate the state of the gold coin by the regulation of the state of the gold coin. I must recommend to you in a more particular manner, as well on account of its very high importance, as of the peculiar advantages which the present time affords, for executing with success such measures as you may find it expedient to adopt with respect to this great national concern.

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commerce of the kingdom sufficiently secure from being again exposed to the like danger.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons

I have ordered the proper estimates for the current year to be laid before you, and rely on your readiness to grant me such supplies as shall be found requisite in the present situation of affairs.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

The experience I have had of your past conduct leaves me no room to doubt, either of your zeal or prudence, in your endeavours to promote the welfare of your country. You will not suffer any parts of the public service to escape your attention; but, various and extensive as those are, you will be careful to select, for your immediate deliberation, such of them as shall appear to be most important. And you can propose no measures that will serve either to secure or advance the happiness and prosperity of my people, in which you may not always depend on my most hearty concurrence.

LEGHORN, Dec. 17.

THE Russian fleet with uncommon success on the coast of Syria, and since the taking of Beiruth, they made themselves masters of several harbours and castles in the neighbourhood of that place. It is also reported that the army of Chieftain Dahir, as well as his fleet, is to be commanded by Russian officers, and that a train of Russian artillery will soon be embarked for Egypt to join the army.

Paris, Nov. 19. The losses sustained by the terrible accident of blowing up the magazine of powder at Abbeville have been estimated, and are as follow: There were in the magazine 46,565 lb. of powder, 27 persons were killed; there remain 130 wounded; of these, about twenty were in a dangerous way; 1134 houses have suffered greatly, and 57 were destroyed: Besides which, the losses sustained by the manufacture of M. Vanrobais, the churches, chapels, the five religious houses for men, and eight for women, with the effects, merchandizes, and cattle destroyed by this accident, are estimated at 180,268 livres. The whole loss amounts to 472,917 livres.

Berlin, Jan. 11. All the different corps of the Russian army which were on the right side of the Danube, have repassed that river in order to enter into winter quarters.

LONDON,

Dec. 9. The emigrations from the Highlands still increase. On the 16th of last month 250 persons sailed from the Frith of Dornock for New-York; another is loading with the same cargo for Carolina. About the same time 250 emigrants sailed for Fort George, and 308 of the Macdonalds of Gilegarry and the neighbouring districts for Fort William.

Extract of a letter from Worcester.

"When the procession was over which succeeded the poll, Sir Watkin Lewis dined at the Crown with about 100 Gentlemen, who all insisted on paying equally, and would not put their Candidate to any expense. The same noble proof of independent spirit and support, was shown throughout the whole election, which affords an example worthy the imitation of the whole kingdom, and for which the citizens of Worcester will be recorded in the annals of their country, for having so greatly withstood the Treasury of the east, and the influence of power, thus nobly asserting the freedom of election."

Extract of a letter from Leghorn, Dec. 1.

"Ever since the beginning of the present war between the Porte and Russia, the former always insisted that the republic of Venice should not preserve their neutrality, but absolutely declare themselves on one side or the other. This has hitherto greatly embarrassed the Senators, but as they have more to fear from the neighbouring Porte than from Russia, it appears by several corroborating circumstances, as if they were inclined to declare themselves in favour of the Porte, (though nothing can be said with certainty.) The Russians, as it seems, have a hint of it; for they do not behave to the Venetians with their usual friendship. They have of late made a landing upon the Isle of Zante, without keeping a due quarantine, and they still remain upon the island. In the middle of October last, a Russian squadron, consisting of two men of war and four frigates, ran into the road of the island of Corfu, without consulting the governor as usual. As soon as they arrived, the Venetian Governor dispatched an officer to the Russian Commander, demanding the reason of their not having consulted him, and not stating the cause, according to custom, and asking him how long he intended to remain there? but was answered, 'That it was above the dignity of his Imperial Majesty to ask for leave of entrance into the roads of a little Republic, or to allow their fortresses from on board her men of war; and as to determining how long he should remain there, he could not do it yet; for he certainly should stay till he received orders from his Court to depart.' The Governor immediately dispatched a messenger to Venice with the story, requesting instructions from the Senate how to act, which has greatly alarmed them; since which, they have received

ed fresh notice from thence, that sixteen Russian sail are near that island, which is the cause of the frequent assembling the Senate of Ten at Venice."

A letter from Dantsick says, "His Russian Majesty, now our Sovereign, is making his principal magazine for corn; such quantities of which have arrived here lately, that we know not where to put it."

Yesterday 12 prisoners were tried at the Old Bailey, one of whom was capitally convicted, Robert Leigh, for forging an acceptance upon a draft of £500, with intention to defraud Messrs. Gines and Atkinson, Bankers, in Lombard Street.

It appeared, on the trial of the above Robert Leigh, that he presented the bill to the Clerk of Messrs. Gines and Atkinson, with an order thereon for payment, which being so very well imitated, had the desired effect, and he received the amount in bank bills, which carrying to the bank he obtained cash for the same; but, being so excessively intoxicated that he could not count it, he was with much persuasion, prevailed on to leave the cash there till Monday (to prevent his losing or being defrauded of the same) and to take the usual security in such cases, what is called a spoiled note, with which on Monday he returned, and received the cash; but the fraud being presently after discovered at Messrs. Gines and Atkinson's, search was made after him; he was apprehended at his lodgings, and upwards of 600l. of the money recovered. He had a good character on his trial.

He was formerly a clerk to an eminent merchant of this city, and afterwards resided in America, from whence he is but lately returned: He attempted to make his escape in women's clothes, but being detected, fainted away.

The *deputar* received by a certain Gentleman for giving up his contest for a parliamentary seat for the City of Worcester, is said to have been 4000l. for his expenses, and 1000l. for his *condemnation*.

We hear that Lord Clive openly went about canvassing the votes at Worcester for Mr. Rous, and that he has at least expended ten thousand pounds endeavouring to gain the majority for that gentleman. What has this constitution not to fear, when every petty insignificant Peer, who has no other merit than his abundance of wealth, has the audacity to offer to invade the rights, the dearest rights of it, by influencing the freedom of elections?

Dec. 13. A letter from Turin of the 14th ult. mentioning an affair which has been some time on the carpet between their Court and that of London, concerning a Miss Maenamara, who is detained in a convent at Nice against the will and consent of her parents, concludes thus: "The English Ambassador had declared, to his Sardinian Majesty in person, that the King his master will have his subject without any farther delay, and was preparing to set out without taking leave, all his baggage being ready packed; when he was desired, by a particular message from the King, to wait till the return of a courier which had been sent that day to London." This was the 11th of October.

Dec. 21. It is said, at the late election for Malden, that a pair of yarn stockings sold for ten guineas, and other things in proportion.

The 4th, 5th, 38th, and 43d regiments, are to relieve the 10th, 14th, 3d, and 59th in North America.

Should a government be established on the Ohio, it is said Col. Skene will be appointed to preside there.

Monfort Browne, Esq. will be appointed to the government of the Bahamas; and Governor Shirley removed from thence to Dominica; vice Sir William Young.

Dec. 24. There is an account in town, that Varna is taken by the Russians. This is not only a place of strength, but of the last importance to the Turks, all their capital magazines being there. Arms, horses, cannon, ammunition, and provisions, are in immense quantities, fallen into the hands of the Russians. The road to Constantinople, is now open to them; where is neither fortification, nor man that is valuable by the Turks. The Russian fleet now at Spithead, as soon as they have taken pumps on board, (which are what they called for, they not having the art of making them properly) will sail for Archipelago; where Constantinople will be attacked by land and sea in the same instant. The Grand Signior is therefore reduced to this alternative, to sign a peace, or the Court of Petersburg shall prescribe, or retire to Babylon.

Jan. 6. The King has given his approbation to the plan for a permanent Council, but it has met with so many difficulties in the delegation, that it is not likely to be carried into effect till the year 1800.

Walter Stenhouse, Esq. of Northampton, is reported to be a poet; but he is not yet known to be so. A man at St. Giles's church was taken ill, and to appearance died, as he called to breathe; but the apothecary who attended him, perceiving at intervals that he was still living, he was not hurried; after lying in this condition some time, the Doctor ordered milk to be put into a glass, and he was restored.

his mouth now and then, in small quantities, and after lying thus six weeks, he came to himself, and is now in as good health as ever he was in his life.

A great law officer is much chagrined at the sentence thrown on him by a great Assembly in a neighbouring kingdom, for presuming to make alterations in a bill they had framed and sent over here, for raising 265,000l. on life annuities.

Charleston (S. Carolina) Feb. 21.

Capt. Haggey, of the ship New Market, which arrived here last Thursday from London, on the 29th of last month, in lat. 27, 35, long. 84, met with a sloop in the great-church dock; five poor emaciated creatures on board accosting him with up-lifted hands, crying, they were "starving alive," and begging relief. She proved to be the *George*, Richard Justice master, which had come out from Virginia 50 days before, laden with Indian corn, bound for New-York, and with only one week's provision. They had subsisted for some time on nothing but corn roasted in an iron pot, did not understand navigating the sloop; and in that condition had been driven to and fro, till they met with a vessel from Barbados, which spared them a man to navigate, and a few dried fish, but no water, being short of that article themselves. Upon being desired to send their boat they acquainted Capt. Haggey, that they had none; that it had been cut up and used as firewood, and they had then only the last stick of her, the keel; whereupon he lent them, in his own boat, bread, beef, potatoes, candles, cheese, water, and firewood, for a month, to carry them to Antigua, for which island they bore away.

WILLIAMSBURG, (Virginia) Feb. 24.

The Virginia, Howard Eiken, from London, with five tons of half pence on board, is arrived in York river.

Captain West, of the schooner Hawke, belonging to Salem, and bound to Baltimore, on the 17th instant landed at Cape Henry the crew of the brig Fanny, William Moseley Commander, bound to Lisbon, which he took off said vessel on the 7th at the hazard of the lives of his own people; and as the boat he dispatched for their relief was upwards of five hours put in a high sea, and had very near been lost. Captain Moseley, and his crew, received the most humane treatment from Capt. West, while on board his vessel.

The crew of another vessel belonging to Norfolk, and bound for Jamaica, one Talbot Commander, which had foundered at sea, was brought in a few days ago by a ship from Nansemond river.

NEWPORT, March 14.

A letter dated at Turk's Island the 20th February on board the sloop Freetown, of this place, Joseph Evans, Master, bound to Jamaica, advises, That the day before, as they were going through the passage in the offing, they were boarded by a boat with 8 armed men, from the *Savage* man of war, then lying in the road of Turk's Island.

The officer of the boat demanded of the Captain his papers, which being readily delivered him, he order'd the sloop to put about, and sail for the road, from which they were then at some distance to leeward, saying they should take the boat in tow.

Mr. Finlater, (of Jamaica, the Merchant on board) the Captain and a number of Gentlemen and Ladies, passengers, expostulated with the officer, against the hardship and delay, especially as one of the Ladies, (Mrs. Finlater) was great with child and near her time. The officer however, insisted upon the sloop's going to the island, and on being refused, behaved with great brutality, trampling the people on board, with the most scurrilous language, placing one of his own men at helm, and drawing his sword. Mr. Finlater wrestling the sword from him threw it overboard, while the Captain forced the boat's man from the helm, and gave it to one of his own people. The boat along side, then, by order of the officer, immediately fired into the sloop with a swivel gun, whereby he was shot thro' the side and Mr. Finlater thro' the body near the shoulder. The sloop was then carried into the road, where the Captain and Mate were detained on board the *Savage* till next day, when they were released and permitted to proceed on their voyage.

The Surgeon of the ship behaved with politeness and humanity, and carefully dressed the wounds of Mr. Finlater, whose recovery is doubtful.

It does not appear that the officer had the least reason for his conduct, or acted from any other motives than pride, ill-nature, or wantonness in the exercise of an arbitrary power, with which he ought not to have been trusted, tho' for the sake of it he deserves exemplary punishment.

Capt. Chase, in 18 days from Turk's Island, informs that a schooner belonging to Salem, in her passage from the Windward Islands, took up a boat with two white persons and four Negroes in her; and that said schooner, about two leagues from Turk's Island, was boarded by a cutter belonging to the *Savage* man of war, and carried in-

to that Island, where the Captain of the schooner attempted, to fall part of the Negroes to pay the salvage for taking them up, &c. but the officers of the *Savage* held a court upon the Captain of the schooner, and tried him for felony, as though he had stolen the Negroes, but were obliged to acquit him; however, they took the Negroes from him, in order, as was supposed, to convert them to their own use.

PHILADELPHIA, March 16.

Capt. Lockton, from Bermuda informs, that the ship —, Capt. Ritchie, from Leith, with 200 passengers for New-York, having been four months at sea, had put in there in a starving condition, notwithstanding their having received considerable supplies from different vessels at sea.

Capt. Craig informs us, that a brig —, Capt. Packwood, from New England, over-fet in lat. 29 and the people were taken off her bottom and carried into Antigua.

Captain Fleming, from Newcastle on Tyne, on the 29th of January, met with a violent gale of wind, in which he had all his water casks stove, and had only a few gallons of water remaining in a beer barrel; the same morning he saw a well dressed woman floating in the sea, [whether with, or without a soul, we have not heard] but the gale continuing, and being under his courses, could not get his boat out to take her up.

NEW-YORK, March 24.

Saturday last the General Assembly of this province presented the following address to his Excellency our Governor.

To his Excellency WILLIAM TRYON, Esq; Captain General and Governor in Chief, in and over the colony of New-York, and the territories depending thereon in America, Chancellor, and Vice Admiral of the same.

The humble ADDRESS of the General Assembly of the said Colony.

May it please your Excellency,

WE his Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the General Assembly of the colony of New-York, beg leave, before your Excellency's departure, once more to express the grateful sense we entertain of the uprightness and integrity of your conduct, during your administration of this government. We think it our duty, as the representatives of a free and happy people, to pay this tribute of applause and acknowledgment to a Governor who has so eminently distinguished himself by his constant attention to their welfare and prosperity; and doubt not that our most gracious Sovereign will reward you, when you have the honour to appear before him, with every mark of approbation, which the faithful discharge of all the duties of your important station so justly merits.

We assure your Excellency we not only esteem your public character; but we revere your private virtues. — Your humanity, your beneficence and liberality to the poor and distressed, and your affability to all who have had the honour of a nearer connection with you, in concerns either of a public or private nature, have rendered you doubly dear to the inhabitants of this colony. When such are the genuine sentiments of our hearts, which we are conscious are the sentiments also of the inhabitants of this colony, can we entertain a doubt of your representing both them and us, to our most gracious Sovereign, in our true character, as a loyal and affectionate people; warmly devoted to his sacred person, and zealously attached to his government?

We look forward to your Excellency's approaching departure, with extreme concern, which nothing can alleviate but the Hopes of your speedy Return. Indeed your well known Regard and Attachment to this grateful Colony, give us the strongest Assurance that those Hopes will not be vain, and at the same time convince us, that during your Absence, you will exert all your Influence to promote its Welfare and Prosperity.

Permit us now to take our Leave of your Excellency, and to wish you and your Family a safe and pleasant Passage to your native Country. — May Health, Honour and Happiness be your constant Attendants through this Life, and may the Almighty reward you with never-ending Felicity in the Life to come.

By Order of the General Assembly,

JOHN CRUGER, Speaker. Assembly Chamber, City of New-York, 17th March, 1774.

HIS EXCELLENCY'S ANSWER.

GENTLEMEN, I thank you for this truly loyal and affectionate Address, but have not Words fully to express my Sense of the Honour conferred on me by this distinguishing Testimony of your Approbation of my Conduct during my Administration; nor can I sufficiently thank you for the friendly Terms in which you have been pleased to communicate your own Affection and Regard towards me, and the Assurance of a corresponding Disposition in the Inhabitants of this Province. — In full Confidence and ample Experience of your Loyalty and Affection to the best of Kings, I shall with the most pleasing Satisfaction represent both you and them, as warmly and zealously attached to his Majesty's Person and Government.

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New York

An extract of the General Assembly

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My grateful Acknowledgments are like-
wise due to you for your Consideration of
my Losses by the late Fire. A Compensation
that I esteem, as being both very ho-
nourable and liberal.

Though I cannot take my Departure from
this Colony without Emotions of real Con-
cern, yet I flatter myself the Re-establish-
ment of my much impaired State of Health,
and his Majesty's most gracious Indulgence
to my Wishes, will allow me soon to return
to a Country I view with Affection, and
whose Interest I have so much at Heart that
it cannot fail of being made during my Ab-
sence, the Object of my peculiar Attention.

Under the Impressions of a real and ge-
nerous Attachment to the Interest of this
Province, and a just Sense of the warm De-
sires and steady Pursuits you have testified
in Support of the Honour of his Majesty's
Government, the Prosperity of his People,
and the Success of my Administration, it is
with Pain, Gentlemen, I now take my Leave
of you; and while I thank you for your
good Wishes for a pleasant Voyage to my-
self and Family, Gratitude prompts a Re-
turn of my ardent Hopes that the Inhabi-
tants of this happy Land may uninterrupt-
edly enjoy every possible Felicity.

WM. TRYON.

New York, 19th March, 1774.

An extract from the Votes and proceedings of
the General Assembly of the colony of New-
York.

Die Luna, 10 ho. A. M. March 7th, 1774.

Ordered,

That the bill, entitled, "An Act for
settling the controverted boundaries between
the patented lands called Kayaderoseros, or
Queenborough, in the county of Albany,
and the several other tracts of land therein
mentioned," be postponed till the next session,
and that the Clerk of this House, in the re-
cess thereof (on application to him made)
furnish the parties interested in either of the
said tracts of land with certified copies of the
said bill; and that he forthwith cause a
copy of this order to be published four weeks
successively in the New-York Gazette, or the
Weekly Mercury, to the intent that all per-
sons concerned may make their objections, if
any they have, why the said bill should not
pass into a law, within fourteen days after
the meeting of the next session of the General
Assembly, after the first day of September
next. By order of the General Assembly,
EDMOND SEAMAN, Clk.

By the Decease of the late Capt. Sowers,
the Direction of that Department here (by
Order of his Excellency General Haldimand)
devolves upon John Montresor, Esq;
Captain of Engineers.

Wednesday the 16th Instant, Capt. Rose
arrived here from the Bay of Honduras in
30 Days, by whom we learn, that the late
Insurrection of the Negroes at that Place
was entirely suppressed, that 14 of them had
got among the Spaniards, the others being
taken and put to Death; the last of the Par-
ty named Cato, belonging to Capt. David-
son, being burnt a few Days before Capt.
Rose sailed. There were at the Bay, the
Brig Friendship, Capt. Lewis, and another
Brig, belonging to this Port.

Capt. Lawrence, of his Majesty's Schoo-
ner Mercury, from Pensacola, a few Days
before he came in spoke with the Brig Polly,
Capt. Hynshaw, from this Port, for Gibrat-
ar, in Lat. 40. Long. 91.

By Letters from St. Eustatia, we learn,
that his Excellency Sir Ralph Payne had ac-
tually taken Possession of Crab Island, in the
Name of his Britannic Majesty; and sent a
Cruizer to Porto Rico to inform the Govern-
ment thereof, and at the same Time to let
him know he expected his Catholic Majesty's
Subjects in this Part would not intercept
any English Vessels either going to or from
that Island.

Saturday last the Hon. Cadwallader Col-
den, Esq; Lieut. Governor of this Province,
arrived here from his Seat at Flushing, on
Long-Island, in good Health.

Extra of a letter from Philadelphia, dated
March 17, 1774.

"Capt. Love, arrived here, left London
the 19th of January, and the 11th of Wight
the 30th. We have a few papers, one as
late as the 27th of January. The accounts
of the destruction of the tea at Boston are
published in the papers of the 22d of Janu-
ary; and our tea ship, the Polly, Captain
Ayers, arrived off Dover the 25th of Janu-
ary; no remarks in the papers about either.
The paper of the 20th of January says the
affairs of America will not be taken up by
Parliament till the sessions is pretty far ad-
vanced. By the papers, there has been a
great insurrection at Petersburg, but cannot
find out particulars. The Russian troops
are ordered out of Poland, and many regi-
ments from the grand army, on the Turkish
frontiers, are going for Petersburg; the re-
mainder of the Russian troops are gone to
winter quarters, and a letter from Paris,
dated the 17th of January, says, it is pos-
sibly asserted that orders are given to all
our regiments to hold themselves in readi-
ness to take the field upon the earliest notice,
and that an army of 100,000 men will be
assembled on the Rhine in the spring. Our
London ships were to sail about the 20th of

February, and your's the beginning of
March. Not one arrival from your port.

A Gentleman in England, writes his
Friend in Philadelphia: "The warlike
Preparations of the French I imagine will
alarm all Europe; what their Designs are,
Time must bring forth. The Information
at Petersburg, we imagine is set on Foot by
them; and that his Prussian Majesty is at the
Bottom of the Scheme. We expect soon to
hear of the fitting out of Fleets and sending
Armies to different Parts, as we certainly
will not be tame Spectators."

Friday last, the 18th of March, being the
Anniversary Repeal of the STAMP ACT,
the same was celebrated at the House of Mr.
Abraham De La Montagne, where a consi-
derable Number of Gentlemen were assem-
bled, who spent the Day in the greatest
Harmony and good Order. The Day was
celebrated in the like Manner by other Gen-
tlemen at Protestant Hall, on Long Island;
and at Mr. David Grim's, by the German
Protestants in this City. The following
loyal Toasts were drank, viz.

1. The King, 2. The Queen, 3. The
Prince of Wales, and Royal Family. 4. A
pleasant Passage, and speedy Return, to his
Excellency our worthy Governor and Fam-
ily. 5. Prosperity to the Province. 6. The
Lieutenant Governor, and the Honourable
Members of his Majesty's Council. 7. The
present worthy General Assembly. 8. The
Mayor and Corporation. 9. Great Britain
and her Colonies. 10. The Navy and
Army. 11. The Earl of Chatham. 12.
Our worthy Agent, Mr. Burke. 13. The
Patriotic Ministry of 1766. 14. The glo-
rious Majority of both Houses of Parliament
in 1766. 15. The spirited Burgesses of
Virginia in 1765. 16. The Pennsylvania
Farmer. 17. Loyalty, Unanimity, and
Perseverance to the true Sons of Liberty in
America. 18. May the Authors of Discon-
cord, and Promoters of intestine Fends, meet
with their just Demerits. 19. Prosperity to Ire-
land, and the worthy Sons and Daughters of
St. Patrick. 20. The German Protestants.
21. Trade and Navigation. 22. The Cham-
ber of Commerce. 23. The Marine Soci-
ety. 24. The Liberty of the Press. 25.
The Protestant Interest. 26. May the House
of Hanover rule the British Empire to the
End of Time. 27. The Day.

On Friday last died in this City, in the
36th Year of his Age, the Rev. WILLIAM
MILLS, Minister of the Presbyterian
Church at Jamaica, on Long Island. His
amiable Disposition, his peaceful and pru-
dent Conduct, his unassisted Piety and ra-
tional Devotion remarkably endeared him
to those who were acquainted with him;
and as his Life was a bright Example of
the Christian Virtues he inculcated upon
others, so in the Prospect of Dissolution, he
enjoyed that calm Serenity of Soul, and that
good Hope which are the peculiar Privileges
of the Righteous.

"Mark the perfect Man and behold the
Upright, for the End of that Man is Peace."

His Remains were interred on Monday
last, at Jamaica: A large Number of the
most respectable Inhabitants of that Town,
and the Country adjacent, attended at the
Funeral; when a Sermon, well adapted to
the occasion, was preached by the Rev. Dr.
Rogers, from Matthew xiv. 31.

Saturday last his Excellency our Govern-
or gave his Assent to the following, and
eight other Acts passed this Session, and then
prorogued the General Assembly to the 17th
Day of May next.

An Act for the more effectual Registry of
Mortgages, and for securing the Purchasers
of mortgaged Estates.

An Act for the Amendment of the Law
for Prevention of Frauds and Perjuries.

An Act for the Relief of Parishes, and
other Places from such Charges as may arise
from Bastard Children born within the same.

An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debt-
ors within this Colony, with Respect to the
Imprisonment of their Persons.

An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debt-
ors within this Colony.

An Act for laying a Road, through the
Land of Adolph Myer to Made David's Fly,
in the Township of Hazelton.

An Act to enable Lewis Morris and John
Sickles to erect and build a Bridge across
Hastlem River.

On Tuesday last, at the Exchange, a very
genteel Entertainment was given to his Ex-
cellency our Governor, by the Gentlemen of
this City.

Late Deaths, which have been omitted for
want of Room.

In London, Mrs. Richardson, Widow of
the late celebrated Mr. Richardson, Printer,
Author of Pamela, Clarissa, &c.

Mr. Metcalf, Head Porter of the Union
Fire Office, aged 99 Years.

Dr. Edward Wilkes, Bishop of Bath and
Wells, aged 80 Years.

In France, Antoine Arnal, a Carrier,
aged 216 Years. Except Death, he had
no Infirmary of old Age, and might have
lived many Years, had not his Death been
hastened by the following Event. As he was
walking, a sudden wind arose, whereby he
was lifted from the Ground, and dashed
with such Violence against a Wall, that he
died almost instantly.

At Radnor, in England, John Esthope,
a Farmer, aged 105 Years. He followed
his farming Business till his 80th Year,
when he married his House Keeper, being
his second Wife, aged 23, by whom he had
six Children, having had eight by his first
Wife. He enjoyed a good State of Health
to the last, and lived to see a Blessing upon
his Children's Children, of whom he left 28.

At Leinster House, in Dublin, James
Fitzgerald, Duke of Leinster, Marquis and
Earl of Kildare, Earl and Baron of Offaley,
Premier Marquis, Earl and Baron of Ire-
land, and Viscount Leinster, of Toplow, in
Great Britain. He is succeeded in Honour
and Estates by his eldest Son (William) late
one of the Representatives for Dublin, in which
Station he hath acted with the greatest In-
tegrity, Patriotism, and Usefulness, follow-
ing the Example of his noble Father, whose
Death is a severe Shock to the Rights and
Liberties of his Country; though his Vir-
tues still live and bloom in his Son.

Lieut. General Webb, Colonel of the 14th
Regiment of Dragoons.

Dr. John Hawksworth, Author of the
Advertiser, &c.

At Dedham, in New England, Mr. Na-
thaniel Gild, in his 96th Year, a Gentle-
man of an unblemished Character. He had
a numerous Offspring, viz. 10 Children, 6
of whom are living; 69 Grand Children,
57 living; 96 Great Grand Children, 80
living; 3 of the 5th Generation, 1 living.
Also 12 Sons and Daughters in Law, and 51
Grand Children by Marriage.

In the Isle of Wight, in Virginia, Mrs.
Mary Tynes, (Mother of Captain Robert
Tynes) in her 97th Year. She retained her
Faculties to the last, and could entertain her
Friends with every remarkable Circumstance
of a public or private Nature, that happened
in her Time. The only Sensation she lost
was her Taste, which required every thing,
even her Meat to be lavishly seasoned with
Sugar, of which she had always been very
fond; and which, a little before her Death,
she lost all Perception of, complaining that
her Children would not give her any.

In the same Neighbourhood, a little be-
fore, died, a Negro Woman (belonging to
Mr. B. Lightfoot) named Nan, in her 106th
Year. She could see to pick up the finest
Cambric Needle from the Floor, went every
Day, by herself, a fishing, in a Canoe,
which she managed with great Dexterity;
could give a circumstantial Account of Ba-
con's Rebellion, retained her Memory, which
was always very tenacious, and her other
Senses, and was very entertaining and use-
ful, to the last.

Our Tea Ship is hourly expected, she
having sailed from Antigua for this Port, 31
Days since.

Capt. Bratt arrived here on Tuesday last,
in 14 Days from Charleston; and yester-
day Captain Munda, in 16 Days from St.
Kitt's, who informs us that Capt. Pollard,
in a Sloop from New-York, arrived there
the day he sailed.

In Capt. Palmer, in 40 Days from Cales,
came Pallenger, Capt. Rogers, of a Brig
lately belonging to this Port, which was taken
away on the Coast of Spain.

The House of Representatives at Boston,
having impeached Peter Oliver, the Chief
Justice, of divers high Crimes and Misde-
meanors; which Articles of Impeachment
they sent to the Council, and desired the
Governor to remove the said Peter Oliver,
from his Office, and try him for the said
Offences, which Request the Governor ha-
ving refused, the House repeated the Re-
quest, in which the Council seemed to con-
cur, on which the Governor, after re-
proaching them for their Conduct, pro-
rogued the Assembly.

Yesterday Afternoon arrived Capt. Prince
from Cayenne.

The 9th Instant the Light House at Nan-
caket, was blown down, by a most violent
Gust of Wind, which lasted but about a
Minute.

CUSTOM HOUSE, NEW-YORK, INWARD

ENTRIES.
Sloop Phoenix, M. Beard, Nantucket. Vine, Z.
Waterman, N. Carollan. New-York Packet, J.
Frederick, D. Francis, S. Warner, and Joseph, J.
Carpetant, Rhode Island. Salsana, J. Gotham,
St. Christopher's. Schooner Packet, D. Folger,
Nantucket. Ship Boob, G. Bratt, South-Carolina.

OUTWARD. Sloop Catherine, J. Tanager, and
Richmond, A. Lawrence, Coracoa. Polly, S. Hen-
ry, Maryland. Betty, W. Lightbourn, St. Croix.
Charles, J. Hamilton, and Charlotte, G. M'Arroy,
St. Eustatia. Dolphin, D. Cooper, Newfoundland.
Nancy, P. Stafford, Barbados. Brig George, D.
Moore, Hispaniola.

CLEARED. Ship Tansy, R. Davison, and Sloop
Salsana, S. Conner, W. Carollan. Sloop New-
York Packet, J. Hunt, & Carollan. Nantucket, S.
Wyatt, Charming Polly, J. S. Child, and Joseph,
J. Carpenter, Rhode Island. Brig Polly, R. Ash-
feld, Matthew, Lydia, W. Asher, Toronto.

By the Ship Richmond, arrived at Phila-
delphia, from London, we have the fol-
lowing Advices.

LONDON.

Jan. 14. Yesterday Frederick Bell, Esq;
Lord Mayor of London, took the oath and
his seat in the House of Commons as mem-
ber for the City of London.

We hear from Potsdam, that his Prussian
Majesty is ever in close conference with the

Russian and Austrian Ministers; courier up-
on courier are continually arriving from
and sending to, their triumvirate Courts:
Upon the late defeat of the Turks, two ex-
presses came within four hours of each
other; when it was the next day propa-
gated at Berlin, that a revolution was daily
expected at Constantinople, and all the
Christian merchants were removing their
effects with the utmost secrecy and expedi-
tion from that capital. The rage of the
Turks is so great at this time against the
Christians and Jews, that there is no walk-
ing the streets of Constantinople for fear of
their fury. The Grand Signior hourly dis-
tributes large sums of money among his Ja-
nisaries, to hinder their revolt; but with-
out he marches in person at their head, and
leads them on to battle (which is what they
cry aloud for) all his temporizing will avail
him nothing.

Jan. 21. Lord Viscount Pitt, son to the
Earl of Chatham, is to embark next month
for North-America, to make the tour of the
British colonies on that continent.

Jan. 26. A letter from the Lower Elbe,
dated Jan. 13, says, "The insurrection in
Russia is at present the topic of every con-
versation. It seems to have happened in the
most critical time, when fresh troops were
greatly wanted; but by this unhappy event
they are not only disabled from raising any
new troops, but have been obliged to recall
many regiments that were upon their march
for Moldavia; and the troops which were
canton'd about Warsaw have received sud-
den orders to march for Petersburg. It is
suspected that many of the principal men in
the empire will lay hold of this opportunity,
and that a total revolution will be the con-
sequence of it. In the mean time, couriers
to Vienna, Berlin, and Copenhagen, from
Petersburg, are more frequent than ever;
and the current reports are very disagree-
able."

Jan. 27. One of the morning papers
says, "The cause of the late commotions
in Russia is owing to the appearance of the
Czarina's husband, real, or pretended, we
know not, as that Monarch was said to have
been degraded and died in confinement. The
report, however, is credited at the
west end of the town."

By a private letter just received from Paris,
we are informed, that the French King is
so ill that his life is despaired of.

It was confidently asserted at the Hague,
when the last letters came from thence, that
a new congress was appointed for negoti-
ating a peace between the Russians and
Turks.

By letters from Vienna, we learn that
an authentic account had been received there
from Marshal Romanow's army, that the
Russians made themselves masters of Silistria
by assault, on the 17th of November, with
the loss of 27000 men, and upwards of 3000
wounded; that a fine train of brass artillery,
together with several large magazines of
stores, provisions, &c. and several thousand
purse of sequins for the payment of the
Grand Vizier's army, were found there;
that 7000 of the Turks were made prisoners
of war, and several other great advantages
gained.

PUBLIC Notice is hereby gi-

ven, to all the Creditors of Louis Andrew
Gautier, Michael Jacobs, John Godfried Muller,
Frederick Donaldson, and James Light, Insolvent
Debtors confined in the Gaol of the City of New-
York, being five of the Persons named in a certain
Act of the Governor, Council, and General Assembly,
entitled, "An Act for the Relief of Insolvent De-
btors within this Colony, with Respect to the Im-
prisonment of their Persons;" that they the said In-
solvent Debtors have presented their several Peti-
tions, to the Worshipful Benjamin Blagge, and
George Brewerton, Jun. Esqs two of the Judges
of the Mayor's Court for the said City; which Pe-
titions, together with their several Accounts and
Inventories annexed to the same, are agreeable to
the Directions of the said Act, filed with the Clerk
of the said Court, for the Inspection of the Credi-
tors aforesaid; and the said Insolvent Debtors do
hereby Notify their said Creditors, that they intend
to apply to the said Judges, on Monday the Twen-
ty-fifth Day of April next, at ten o'clock in the
Forenoon of the same Day, in the Corporation
Room, in the Gaol of the said City, for their seve-
ral Discharges, agreeable to the Directions of the
said Act.

New-Gaol, City of New-York 25th March, 1774.

PUBLIC Notice is hereby

given, to all the Creditors of Jeremiah Moore,
Anthony Fowler, George Fach, Julius Rodgers,
James Mc Millan, Jedediah Beckwith, Insolvent
Debtors confined in the Gaol of the City of New-
York, being six of the Persons named in a certain
Act of the Governor, Council, and General Assem-
bly, entitled, "An Act for the Relief of Insol-
vent Debtors within this Colony, with Respect to
the Imprisonment of their Persons;" that the said
Insolvent Debtors have presented their several Pe-
titions to the Honourable Daniel Horsmanden, and
Thomas Jones, Esqs, two of the Judges of the Su-
preme Court of Judicature for the Province of New-
York; which Petitions, together with their several
Accounts and Inventories annexed to the same, are
agreeable to the Directions of the said Act, filed
with the Clerk of the said Court, for the Inspection
of the Creditors aforesaid; and the said Insolvent
Debtors do hereby Notify their said Creditors,
that they intend to apply to the said Judges, on
Monday the Twenty-fifth Day of April next at
the Supreme Court, to be held at the City-Hall, in the
said City, in the Forenoon, for their several Dis-
charges, agreeable to the Directions of the said Act.

New York, 25th March, 1774.

POETS CORNER.

WILLIAMSBURG, (Virginia), March 3, 1776.
On the arrival of Lady DUMMORE and her CHILDREN. [Imagined by particular desire.]
By A LADY.

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NEW SPERMA CETI MANUFACTORY,

IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
SPERMA CETI CANDLES manufactured, warranted pure, to be sold by SOLOMON SIMSON, SOLOMON MYERS COHEN, or MANUEL MYERS.
Said MANUEL MYERS, has also for Sale, NEW-YORK RUM, Of the best QUALITY. 26—

TO BE SOLD, BY WILLIAM PRINCE,

At Flushing Landing, on Long Island, near New-York.
The following trees and plants, viz.
ONE hundred and ten large Carolina magnolia flower trees, the finest and most beautiful that grow in America, all raised from the seed, in a dry soil, are very apt to live when transplanted, and are from 3 1/2 feet to 4 feet high, price 4s. per tree. 50 large Catalpa flower trees, about the thickness of a man's leg, and are about 8 or 9 feet high, to the under part of the top, very straight and thrifty, price 2s. per tree. 30 or 40 large almond trees, that begin to bear as they stand in the nursery, and are very apt to bear, price 1s. 6d. per tree; and 50 fig trees that begin to bear, price 2s. per tree. 2000 white, red, and black currant bushes, price 6d. per plant; a number of goose berry plants of different sorts, price 6d. per plant. Grape vines, viz. the large Lisbon white grapes, white and purple Madeira grapes, price 6d. per plant; 5000 of the following strawberry vines, the haughty, the Chilli and the large English and American white strawberries, price 1s. per dozen plants. 1500 white mulberry trees, and 1000 black mulberry trees, price 1s. 6d. per tree, by the small parcels, but they will be sold for less by the quantity.
All sorts of fruit trees, to be sold as usual.

LOTS Fronting Great George-Street,

To be Let, on Long Leases; Inquire of the Painter.

CHEPMAN ASHERS,

Smelter and Refiner of Gold, Silver, Copper and Lead.
IS lately arrived from Germany, where he has been employed as such, in several smelting and refining works, and particularly those of the Elector of Saxony.
He proposes to smelt, separate, and refine, in this, or any of the neighbouring colonies, the above-mentioned metals, from any ore delivered to him for that purpose, and promises to save 50 per cent. of the expense usually paid by the Americans, who send their ore to England to be smelted or refined there. But when the works must be erected near a navigable river, and in a part of the country where there is a great quantity of wood for making charcoal, many gentlemen incline to employ the said Asher in that respect, he doubts not his giving full satisfaction respecting his abilities and character. He is determined not to contract for a salary, but a share in the produce of the works, which, if undertaken, will be the first of the kind carried on in North America, and must prove highly beneficial. For further particulars inquire of himself, at Mr. Samuel Israel's, in Little Dock Street.

SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

For raising the sum of £4000, For erecting a BRIDGEWELL in this CITY, viz.
Prizes of £1000 is £3000
3 Do. 500 1500
4 Do. 200 800
25 Do. 100 2500
30 Do. 50 1500
50 Do. 25 1250
90 Do. 10 900
180 Do. 5 900
3600 Do. 2 7200

3600 Prizes, 14,400 Blanks.
50,000 Tickets, at 40s. each, are £20,000
The above scheme is calculated in a manner the most beneficial for the subscribers, there being only about two and a half blanks to a prize, and subject to a deduction of 15 per cent. As the intention is of the most laudable kind, and the erection of a proper commodious building, as a reception for the correction of vagrants, of the distillate and idle, has been long wished for, and is now become absolutely necessary, from the great number of vagabonds daily flocking about this city from every part of the continent; and as it is manifest that such a building will contribute to the ease, safety and advantage of the inhabitants, and be of the greatest public utility, the gentlemen who have set the project on foot, humbly hope that the generous, the benevolent, and the religious, of all denominations, will heartily and cheerfully concur in promoting a lottery intended for so laudable and very necessary a purpose.

The drawing to commence on the 2d day of May next, on 5 o'clock, of which public notice will be given; under the inspection of gentlemen of known probity and reputation, who will be under oath for the faithful performance of the trust reposed in them, and will be assisted by the Church Wardens and Vestry of this City and County. The sum to be raised (as soon as the drawing is finished) will be paid into the hands of the City Treasurer, and drawn out by order of the Common Council, for the use and purpose before mentioned, and for no other use or purpose whatsoever. A list of the prizes will be published as soon as the drawing is completed, and the building then immediately begun.

The promoters of this eligible scheme are, assisted by no other motive than that of their country's good.—Tickets may be had of Isaac Low, William Cockscomb, Charles Nicoll, Peter Mercer, Isaac Corla, Nicholas Bayard, Joseph Allicocke, or John Holt.

TO BE SOLD,

And entered on the first of May next.
THE noted grist-mills, fulling-mill, dwelling houses, store house and barn, together with about 25 acres of land, 400 acres of excellent land adjoining said mills, the other being wood land, about half a mile distant, from the mills, lying and being in the county of Somerset, on the north branch of the River, in the province of New-Jersey, on the main road, that leads to Riverton landing, and New Brunswick, about 16 miles from field landing, and 15 from New Brunswick, in a remarkable healthy place, and in the heart of a wheat country, surrounded with able farmers; the grist mills have two pairs of excellent stones; the one built, a winnowing mill and screen for cleaning wheat, five good bolls for merchant and country work, all in excellent good order, and go by water; the mills and dams are so situated that little or no risk of being damaged by floods or breaking of the ice, and never known to be so dry as to prevent grinding; the dwelling house at a proper distance from the mill house, a commodious store and shop, (which has been kept for many years), adjoining the dwelling house; the fulling mill is in excellent good order adjoining the grist-mills, and has constant employ; the dwelling house for the fuller is at a convenient distance from the mills, as those mills are in a remarkable healthy and rich country, that with proper care may have as much work as they choose, they being in possession of the subscribers; Easy payments may be had. For conditions of sale, apply to Richard Banker, Merchant, in New-York, or to JOHN DUYCKINCK, of Riverton Landing, N. J. If sold by the first of May, then to be sold.

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IRISH LINENS,

FROM 8d. to 6s. per Yard; Calicoes, Cottons, and Chintzes, Tablecloths, Moireens, &c. &c. to be sold upon very reasonable Terms, for Cash, three, or six Months Credit, by JOHN WOODWARD, At his STORE, near the City Market, Who has also for Sale a Quantity of the best NEW YORK RUM.

ROBERT NICHOLSON, TAYLOR and HABIT-MAKER,

From LONDON, BEGS Leave to acquaint the PUBLIC, that he carries on his Business next Door to Mellic, Berrien and Fifth's Store, near Burling's-Slip, where Ladies and Gentlemen, who may be pleased to favour him with their Commands, may depend upon having their Work done, either made, or plain, in the genteel Manner, by their very humble servant.

The best Price given for ALL SORTS OF LINEN RAGS, According to their Quality and Fineness, By JOHN KEATING, AT HIS PAPER MANUFACTORY,

On the North River, or his STORE IN NEW-YORK, Near BURLING'S-SLIP, Where he has for SALE A Good assortment of European and East-India goods, suitable for the season, &c.

The demand for paper in America, is of late so greatly increased, that very large sums are continually sent abroad for the purchase of it, to the great impoverishment of the Colonies: All the paper which is manufactured among our selves, is a clear saving, to us, of all the money that would be sent out of the country to procure it; it is therefore hoped, that all those who really wish to promote the interest of America, and of this country in particular, with which they are more closely connected in interest, will contribute their aid to the success of the paper-manufactory in this place, by a constant care and attention to save the linen rags, which every family could afford in greater or less quantity, quite useless for any other purpose, and generally thrown away, but absolutely necessary to a paper-manufactory, which cannot be carried on without them.

The smallest of the value of rags in a family, is apt to make people careless in saving them, as being scarce worth the trouble; but, small as the value is, it is more than sufficient, taking one family with another, to supply each with all the paper necessary for its use; And the benefit each will receive in common with the community, will be much greater than their immediate profit by the price of the rags. A certain place set apart in every house to receive them, and a little practice in saving them, would soon make it habitual to do it, and establish this valuable manufactory upon a permanent foundation.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC, THAT THE UNIVERSAL STORE OF GERARDUS DUYCKINCK,

At the Sign of the LOOKING GLASS and DRUGGIST POT, IS removed to the Dwelling-House, next but one from the corner of the Old Slip, now occupied by Henry Will, Pewterer, having also removed the sign of the LOOKING GLASS and DRUGGIST POT, from these back of his said dwelling house, in Little Dock Street, between the widow Dwyck and Richard Ten Eyck, Baker being one and the same store, running back, from street to street.

A large Assortment of GOODS,

Such as have not been imported to this city before, Being a curious assortment of valuable Goods, viz. Looking Glasses, and Sconces, Dressing Glasses, &c.

Pictures of all Sizes and Sorts,

Particular capital prints, which cost for engraving from one to three hundred guineas.

China and cut white Flint Glafs,

A large and beautiful assortment.

A large Assortment of Drugs,

With every article connected therewith, and also in those sundry branches, as PAINTERS and LINEN COLOURS, DYEING and FULLERS COLOURS, WINDOW GLASS of all Sizes, With COACH and PLATE GLASS, FOUNDERS and SMELTERS ARTICLES, JEWELLERS STONES, &c. HATTERS TRIMMINGS, Table Knives and Forks, a complete Assortment, London and Ward Metal FEWTELL, SHEET LEAD

Sheet Lead, in Bales, Dime Copper, Molls and Dime Tin, Dime Iron.

STEEL of different Sizes and Marks, NAILS and SHOT of all Sizes, WAITING-PAPEL of all Sizes.

Also, an Assortment of Paper Hangings, and Carpeting, DISTILLERS ARTICLES, &c.

And a Variety of other Articles for Country Stores, and the Army, too tedious to mention, which he will supply at the most reasonable Terms.

The most ELEGANT ASSORTMENT OF OVAL LOOKING GLASSES,

PIER DITTO, SCONCES and DRESSING GLASSES, With and without DRAWERS, EVER IMPORTED INTO THIS CITY.

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF PICTURES and PRINTS,

A LARGE COLLECTION OF MAPS, A NEW GENERAL ATLAS, OPTICAL PILLAR MACHINES, DIASECTED MAPS, IN BOXES, IS JUST COME TO HAND, PER THE SHIPS London, CAPT. CHAMBERS, AND THE Refused, CAPT. MILLER, FROM LONDON, AND NOW OPENING FOR SALE, AT JOHN MORTON'S STORE, ON HUNTER'S QUAY.

AND LIKEWISE, A NEAT ASSORTMENT OF EUROPEAN and INDIA GOODS, WELL ADAPTED TO THE SEASON, WHICH HE WILL DISPOSE OF ON MODE RATE TERMS, FOR CASH OR THE USUAL CREDIT. And per the Ship Mary, Capt. Hurvey, just arrived from Bristol;

Men's, youth's, and boy's beaver, castor and felt hats; German serges, women's Bristol shoes; long and short pipes, a neat assortment of shoe knee and buckles; gilt and plated coat and jacket buttons, knives and forks, cuttable knives, Bayonet pen do. pewter dishes, plates and basins; 3d. 4d. 8d. 10d. and 12d. nails, shot and fuzee balls, &c. &c. &c.

RICHARD DEANE, DISTILLER,

TAKES this Method to return his sincere Thanks to all his Friends and Customers for their past Favours, and to acquaint them, he has now ready for Sale, at his Distillery between the College and the North-River, in Murray Street, near Vaux-Hall, A Quantity of neat Brand: Red ratif, Cinnamon water, Clove water, Orange do. Aniseed do. All-Four, Doctor Stevens, West-India and New-Spirits of Wine, York Rum, Madeira, and Tonicif Royal Uiquebaugh, &c. &c. &c.

The good Quality of said DEANE'S LIQUORS, has for several Years past been well experienced; but in a more particular Manner this last Year—as the Demands for them have exceeded his Expectations, ten fold.

And still he is determined, if possible, to make better.

Being fully convinced by long Experience, that the best Means to acquire a speedy Sale of the above articles, is to make them of full Quality, at a moderate Charge, (as he is determined to sell on as reasonable Terms as any one else,) and good Attendance, which, with every other Endeavour to give general Satisfaction, will be the constant Study of the

Public's very obliged, and very humble Servant; R. DEANE.

Nesbitt Deane, HATS,

MANUFACTURED by the

Advertiser (residing in the old Coffee-House, opposite the New-York) to exceed in fineness, cut, colour, and cock; And by a method peculiar to himself, to turn rain, and prevent the sweat of the head damaging the crown; Encouragement to those who buy to sell again. He, impressed with the deepest gratitude, being sensible of the many favours, and honours conferred on him, does, unfeignedly return, to all those who have favoured him with their custom, and interest, his most humble and hearty thanks; assuring them, at the same time, that by all possible means, he will ever endeavour, to discharge himself in his function, with faithfulness, to all mankind.

Richard Norris, SHIRT-MAKER, from LONDON,

TAKES this method to return his sincere thanks to all his friends, and customers, for their past favours, and to acquaint them, that he now has the newest fashion from the Queen's stay maker, in London, such as has not been made in these parts: He likewise makes all sorts of Rags, and jump, plain, and turned, thick or thin. Ladies, at any distance, by sending their measures, may be fitted at the shortest notice, which, with every endeavour to give general satisfaction, will be the constant study of the public's very obliged, and very humble servant. RICHARD NORRIS. At his house, next door to Mr. Cuyler's, in Smith Street, at the corner of the Old Slip.

WE the undersigned, appointed by the honorable

Elizabeth Willmott, Esq. Judge of the Court of Probate, within and for the district of Fairfield, Commissioners in the estate of Mr. John Whittey, late of Fairfield, in Fairfield county, deceased, represented in felicitate, Heretofore the creditors of the estate of said deceased, that run shall meet at the dwelling house of Mr. Samuel Rowland, in said Fairfield, on the 13th Wednesday in the first month of February, March, April, and May next, at two of the clock in the afternoon on said days, for the reception of the claims and the examination of the several claims of said creditors.

Witness our hands and seals, this 1st day of January, 1780. NATHAN BULKLEY, Comr.

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